COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

FIRST SET OF INFORMATION REQUESTS TO KEYSPAN ENERGY DELIVERY NEW ENGLAND D.T.E. 05-8

Pursuant to 220 C.M.R. § 1.06(6)(c), the Department of Telecommunications and Energy ("Department") submits to KeySpan Energy Delivery New England ("KeySpan" or "Company") the following Information Requests:

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Each request should be answered in writing on a separate, three-hole punch page with a recitation of the request, a reference to the request number, the docket number of the case and the name of the person responsible for the answer.
- 2. Do not wait for all answers to be completed before supplying answers. Provide the answers as they are completed. Further, these requests shall be deemed continuing so as to require further supplemental responses if the or its witness receives or generates additional information within the scope of these requests between the time of the original response and the close of the record in this proceeding.
- 3. The term "provide complete and detailed documentation" means:
 - Provide all data, assumptions and calculations relied upon. Provide the source of and basis for all data and assumptions employed. Include all studies, reports and planning documents from which data, estimates or assumptions were drawn and support for how the data or assumptions were used in developing the projections or estimates. Provide and explain all supporting work-papers.
- 4. The term "document" is used in its broadest sense and includes, without limitation, writings, drawings, graphs, charts, photographs, phono-records, microfilm, microfiche, computer printouts, correspondence, handwritten notes, records or reports, bills, checks, articles from journals or other sources and other data compilations from which information can be obtained and all copies of such documents that bear notations or other markings that differentiate such copies from the original.
- 5. If any one of these requests is ambiguous, notify the Hearing Officer so that the request may be clarified prior to the preparation of a written response.

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6. Please serve copies of the responses as follows: one (1) copy of the responses to Mary Cottrell, Secretary of the Department and on all parties; one (1) copy of the responses to Michael Killion, Hearing Officer, on three-hole punch paper; three (3) copies of the responses to Andréas Thanos, Gas Division.

INFORMATION REQUESTS

- DTE-1-1 Please refer to page 6 of the Company's prefiled testimony. How were the annual demand charges and commodity rates calculated under the FCS027 agreement prior to the 3rd amendment?
- DTE-1-2 Please refer to page 7 of the Company's prefiled testimony. Explain why the price redetermination option in FLS129 only appears in this contract, and not in any of the other contracts the Company is seeking to have approved in this filing.
- DTE-1-3 Please refer to page 9 of the Company's prefiled testimony. Specify the actions that the Company has taken or plans to take to address the apparent need for additional resources to meet customer requirements in 2005 and beyond. Does the Company anticipate satisfying the need for an additional 121,000 MMBtu of peak day deliverability through future arrangements with DOMAC?
- DTE-1-4 What were the annual demand charge and commodity rate calculations under the FLS157 contract? In the event these differ from the annual demand charge and commodity rate calculation of the FLS160 contract, please explain why.
- DTE-1-5 What were the annual demand charge and commodity rate calculations under the FCS062 contract? In the event these differ from the annual demand charge and commodity rate calculation of the FCS064 contract, please explain why.